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A rear elastic area (25) is formed by providing a rear waist region [(13)] with rear waist elastic members (24) that are stretchable laterally across the rear waist region [(13)]. A front elastic area (27) is formed by providing a front waist region [(15)] with front waist elastic members (26) that are stretchable laterally across the front waist region [(15)]. ~~As the~~ The rear waist region [(13)] and the front waist region [(15)] are capable of stretching or contracting in unison ~~at the rear and front of the wearer, the body-hugging capability of the diaper body [(1)] around the waist is improved.~~ A greater number of rear waist elastic members [(24)] than ~~the~~ front waist elastic members [(26)] are provided. The rear elastic area [(25)] is broader than the front elastic area [(27)] with respect to the longitudinal direction of the diaper body [(1)]. The body-hugging capability of the diaper body [(1)] at the rear waist side of the wearer is increased so that the diaper body [(1)] is prevented from slipping down. ~~The~~ This configuration ~~described above~~ reduces constructive feeling ~~given to the wearer~~ by ensuring that the diaper body [(1)] is not excessively tight at the front waist side of the wearer.